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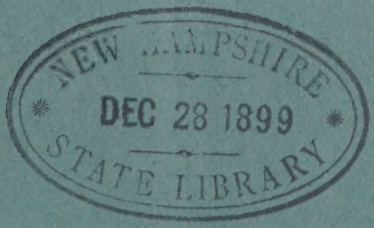
THE OFFICERS

OF THE

TOWN OF SUNAPEE,

FOR THE YEAR

Ending March 1, 1890.



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SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

RECEIVED.

Money in treasury, March 1, 1889,	$1,022.02	
Received by assessing town tax	1000.00	
state tax,	740.00	
county tax,	840.91	
school tax,	718.00	
fire district tax,	300.00	
surplus on the foregoing taxes,	173.75	
dog tax,	62 00	
nonresident highway tax,	149.66	
from the County of Sullivan pauper aid,	279.40	
aid to dependent soldiers	61.54	
State treasurer savings bank tax,	993.98	
railroad tax,	136.73	
literary fund,	155.61	
George G. Alexander, interest	12.28	
for licenses,	50.82	
from F. M. Woodsum after tax,	13.42	
Hired of Salona B. Perkins,	50.00	
Citizens bank, Newport,	400.00	
		$7160.12

DISBURSEMENTS.

BY ORDERS DRAWN ON THE TREASURER.

Paid to dependent soldiers and their families,	$61.54	

EXPENSES OF PAUPERS.

Paid expenses of county paupers,	$279.40	
H. S. George support of F. N. George,	77.79	
N. P. Baker goods for M. A. Angell,	28.00	
Sarah C. Nelson care of Sally Beck,	50.00	
E. C. Fisher M. D. services rendered Sally Beck,	11.75	
Sarah Colby care of Sally Beck,	9.00	
L. H. Goss coffin,case and robe for Sally Beck,	14.00	
Elder John Young attending funeral of Sally Beck,	2.00	
Joseph C. Colby milk furnished Sally Beck,	2.80	
Almira Thompson " " " "	1.25	
		$475.99

PAID FOR REPAIRING ROADS.

George Dodge,	$4.85
Charles C. Morey,	33.72
F. J. Colby, 1888	1.50
P. W. Downs,	1.50
James M. Russell,	3.20
G.H. Winn,	5.55
J. C. Davis non resident tax,	10.00
J. M. Davis,	5.53
G. H. Paul,	7.00
Sylvanus Hurd,	4.00
J. Y. Gardner,	15.15
Walter E. Holmes,	1.50
A. S. Abbott, running road machine,	30.00
L. A. Lear,	1.20
Alfred Babb.	.75
C. A. Gage,	4.24
D. C. Eastman,	6.82
Joseph Russell, powder and fuse,	1.73
Samuel Gardner,	1.35
A. S. Abbot, labor and labor furnished,	14.80
Josiah Scott,	1.00
	$155.39

PAID FOR LABOR AND LUMBER FOR BRIDGES.

P. T. Smith, lumber,	$ 23.78	
C. B. Angell, "	8.86	
J. C. Purington, lumber,	17.00	
Frank H. Reed, "	151.27	
Elmer Rowell, "	27.36	
J. M. Cooper, "	.90	
W. W. Trow, " and sawing,	32.18	
A. D. Noyes, labor,	1.25	
Joseph Russell, spikes and nails,	1.58	
N. P. Baker, "	1.77	
Carnes & Muzzey, irons,	3.65	
L. H. Goss, labor and furnished,	35.50	
John M. Cooper, " on cattle passes	124.70	
		$429.79

BREAKING ROADS IN SPRING OF 1889.

Paid C. C. Morey	$8.39	
A. L. Dodge	3.45	
N. N. Jackson (breaking and cutting out)	8.00	
J. M. Russell	3.20	
J. Y. Gardner (winter of 1888 and spring of 1889)	16.60	
Walter E. Holmes	5.32	
G. E. Lear	6.46	
L. C. Angell, 2 districts	7.20	
Alfred Babb, 2 districts	2.97	
E. G. Ryder	5.85	
D. C. Eastman	15.12	
Samuel Gardner	2.62	
H. W. Dickinson	3.75	
Josiah Scott	1.67	
		$90.60

SCHOOL, AND OTHER TAXES.

Paid E. R. Boyce, treas. school board,	$908.61	
G. H. Bartlett, county treas..	840.91	
S. A. Carter, state treas.	740.00	
J. G. Rowell, treas. fire district,	300.00	
G. E. Alexander, col. non-res'd't highway receipts	41.47	
G. E. Alexander, abated taxes	16.13	
		$2847.12

ABATED TAXES ASSESSED APRIL 1889.

William Caswell	$1.48
Zimri P. Mitchell	5.76
Charles M. Quimby	.98
Lyman Roads	1.54
Woodsum Steamboat Co., stock owned by B. H. Campbell	2.22
John E. Robertson, highway and fire dists.	4.15

NOTES.

Paid on note of Elijah G. Ryder	$200.00	
" " " " Nancy Rogers	20.00	
" " " " William Trow	400.00	
" " " " Levi Colby	300.00	
" " " " Mary A. Russell	35.00	
" " " " Alfred Babb	35.00	
" note of Sylvester C. Messer	52.30	
" note of Citizens' Bank, Newport	408.00	
		$1450.30

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

Paid F. E. Colby, use hall for school and town meetings	$18.00
Barton & Wheeler, printing reports and blanks	28.50
L. H. Goss, express on reports	.40
J. Hadlock, steel edge and bolts for road machine	8.60
J. M. Cooper, express on edge for road machine	.45
Esek Sischo, opening grave for Sally Beck	2.00
Herbert A. Hussy, opening grave for S. B. Thompson	2.00
W. W. Flanders, land damage for new highway	57.00
J. Y. Gardner, do.,	8.00
L. J. Runals, do.,	8.00
J. E. Robertson, do.,	5.00
R. T. Wolcott, assessment on pew	.70
E. C. Converse, blanks and stationery	4.10

W. A. Whitney, surveying and mapping new highway	2.00
Carnes & Muzzey, repairing hearse	1.00
James R. Muzzey, housing road machine	2.00
N. N. Jackson, damage to sheep by dogs	3.00
Almon Angell, " " " " "	4.00
Asahel Lear, " " " " "	4.00
C. H. M. Perkins " " " " "	4.00
E. C. Fisher, M. D , 20 certificates of births and deaths	5.00
Joseph Russell, tolling bell 4 deaths	2.00
N. A. Smith, " " 3 deaths	1.50
" " public water trough	1.50
J. W. Merrill, " " "	3.00
C. D. Clark, " " "	2.00
Asahel Lear, " " "	3.00
Mrs. J. A. Tucker, " "	3.00
Alfred Martin, " "	3.00
J. C. Davis, services as auditor	2.00
W. D. Bailey, " " "	2.00
F. P. Morgan, " " sexton	6.00
F. P. Dowe, " " "	15.00
Alfred Babb, " " "	6.15
" " burial permit	.15
J. F. Davis, services as hearse driver	30.00
E. C. Fisher, " member school board	16.00
E. R. Boyce " " " "	16.00
George H. Bartlett " " "	4.00
" " services as town treas.	10.00
N. P. Baker, " " clerk	19.00
" " express and postage	.50
G. E. Alexander, blank tax bills	1.00
" " services as collector	75.09
C. L. Russell, " selectman	40.00
L. H. Goss, " "	50.00
" " " overseer poor	9.00
J. M. Cooper, " " "	22.00
" " " selectman	76.00
" " postage	1.36
" " railroad fare	2.50
" " for certified copies and affidavits in pauper cases	1.25
Ira Colby, council in pauper cases	5.00
	$596.75

RECAPITULATION.

Total Receipts,		$7160.12
Expenses of paupers,	$ 475.99	
Aid to soldier's and their families,	61.54	
Repairing roads,	155.39	
Repairing bridges,	429.79	
Breaking roads,	90.60	
School and other taxes,	2,847.12	
On notes,	1,450.30	
Miscellaneous expenses,	596.75	
Money in the treasury,	797.41	
Uncollected taxes, 1889,	255.23	
		$7,160.12

NOTES AGAINST THE TOWN.

Alfred Babb, note and interest,	$ 999.70
Nancy Rogers, "	207.68
Hiram Newton, "	2,107.72
John P. Knowlton "	1,231.65
Levi Colby, "	609.35
Maroa C. Cooper, "	38.78
Alfred Martin, "	331.12
Sarah J. Stickney, "	58.49
William Trow, "	840.59
Mary A. Russell, guard, note and interest,	655.14
Juliette K. Boyce, "	140.06
Heirs of Betsey Ryder, "	42.57
Elijah G. Ryder, "	53.24
Ezra G. Ryder, "	167.18
M. Q. and R. A. Eastman, "	334.78
Warren I. Merrill, "	67.67
Lucy A. Manson, "	601.56
Salona B. Perkins, "	892.10
Elijah G. Ryder, admr., "	751.35
Enoch P. Trow, "	738.84
	$10,859.57

BILLS IN FAVOR OF THE TOWN.

Money in the treasury,	797.41	
Taxes in hands of Geo. E. Alexander, assessed in 1889,	255.23	
Taxes in hands of Geo. E. Alexander assessed in 1886,	72.67	
Taxes in hands of Geo. E. Alexander, resident highway taxes assessed in 1887,	5.00	
Joseph C. Savory's note and interest,	57.16	
Pew in M. E. church,	10.00	
Land near the Sunapee dam house,	25.00	
		$1,222.47
Railroad stock $7,000 on which the town received nearly 1 1-4 per cent. Balance against the town,		9,637.10
Reduction of town debt the past year,		675.17

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN M. COOPER,
LEWIS H. GOSS,
CHARLES L. RUSSELL,
} Selectmen of Sunapee.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Bal. in treasury March 1, 1889 as per report,		$1,022.02
Geo. E. Alexander, collector on 1889 tax book,		3,688.51
" collector dog tax,		54.00
" interest,		12.28
Selectmen licenses,		50.82
" support county paupers,		279.40
" aid dependent soldiers,		61.54
" State R. R. tax,	136.73	
" Savings bank tax,	993.98	
" Literary fund,	155.61	1,286.32
" Notes given		450.00
		$6904.89

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid school board,	908.61
" county tax,	840.91
" state tax,	740.00
" non resident highway receipts and abated taxes,	57.60
" Fire department,	300.00
" Notes and interest,	1,450.30
" Support of county paupers,	279.40
" aid dependent soldiers,	61.54
" support town paupers,	196.59
" Breaking roads,	90.60
" labor on bridges,	429.79
" " highway,	155.39
" Miscellaneous orders,	596.75
Balance on hand,	797.41
	$6,904.89

GEO. H. BARTLETT, Treas.

SCHOOL REPORT.

The Board of Education respectfully submit the following report of the public schools of Sunapee for the year ending, March 1, 1890.

We have endeavored to give every scholar in town an equal number of weeks of school, and if any have failed to receive their share it is because they did not take all the chances offered them.

Every teacher who has taught in our schools this year is a resident of Sunapee and we venture to say that the quality of the schools is above the average, thus showing that we can furnish our own teachers and at the same time good ones. We do not mean to say that our teachers are perfect or that they have kept schools that were entirely satisfactory to every one, because it is impossible to attain perfection in this, but we strive to make each school as beneficial as possible to the majority of scholars attending it.

From January 1, 1890 the town will furnish school books to all scholars who wish for them, but those who prefer to own the books they use can do so by paying for them.

The town does not give the books to the scholars but simply loans them the books, and each scholar will be held responsible for every book he takes, or for any damage thereto more than the ordinary wear, and those who already have books of the kind used will not be furnished with new ones.

If the town could be redistricted it could be arranged so to have two less districts, all scholars could be well accommodated and the schools could all be longer. There are some school houses that must be repaired a good deal soon or new ones built and when this is done it would be much better to locate

them where they will accommodate the most scholars. Many of the old farms are deserted and run down so that they do not pay the tax they once did, so that the old districts cannot be continued aud have the same amount of school that they used to without drawing money from other districts, therefore, it is more expedient to unite them so that they can have enough money to have a good lot of school. This is the best plan even if the town decided to return to the old system at the expiration of five years. We must aim to get the greatest benefit possible from the amount of school money we raise.

E. R. BOYCE.
D. C. EASTMAN,
E. C. FISHER,
} Board of Education

ROLL OF HONOR.

Including the names of all the pupils who have been present every half day of a term without being tardy. Two terms marked thus, * ; three terms, †.

School No. 1—Lillian M. Nutting *, Arthur E. Nutting*, Olny G. Nutting, Delos G. Huntley, Florence V. Dunbar, Reuben B. Rowe.

School No. 2—Lillian Bartlett, Elvie O. Boyce, Bessie M. Bailey*, Alice M. Rowell, Marcia A. Runals, Grace E. Cooper*, Cleon O. Dodge, Lawrence Brown.

School No. 3— Ned E. Dow, Eddie H. Young, Nettie M. Dow, Jennie B. George, Eva M. Young.

School No. 4—Sadie E. Lear, Gertrude M. Messer, Florence Abbott.

School No. 5—Florence A. Putney, Annie T. Whipple, Carl W. Hadley, Ashton W. Hadley, Delbert A. Putney, Austin W. Russell.

School No. 6—Allie H. Eastman, Bertie G. Wiggin, Jennie E. Wiggin, Mabel A. Wiggin, Maud E. Wiggin.

School No. 7—Hattie E. Angell, John H. Angell, Alice M. Batchelder, Sidney E. Paul.

School No. 8—Ethel Young, Blanche Tucker, Gertie Sleeper, Tillie Muzzey*, Clarence Cross*, Fred Eastman, Eddie Flanders, Eugene Muzzey, Langdon Muzzey*, Winnie Young, Morrison Muzzey, Fred Noyes*, Henry Peabody, Blanche Boyce, Jennie Cross, Willie Noyes, Mabel Thornton.

School No. 9—Dana L. Young*, Maud E. Downs, Ada L. Blodgett.

No. of School	Terms—1 sum.; 2 fall; 3 win.	Teachers	No. of weeks	No. of Scholars	No. in Reading	No. Spelling	No. in Penmanship	No. in Arithmetic	No. in Geography	No. in Physiology	No. in Grammar	No. in History	No. in Book-Keeping	No. in Algebra	No. in Composition	No. in Latin
1	1	Alice J. Purington	9	11	11	11	9	9	5		5					
	2	Fannie E. Hadley	9	11	10	10	7	10	5		1					
2	1	Lizzie M. Bailey	8	24	24	24	24	19	15							
	2	Lora M. Abbott	15	22	22	22	22	19	18							
3	1	Mary E. George	9	12	12	12	7	11	7		1	2				
	2	Emma I. Morey	14	15	14	14	3	13	3		4	5		1	4	
4	1	Emma S. Trow	9	7	7	7		7	5		3	3			3	
	2	Lizzie M. Bailey	14	9	9	9	9	9	6		2	2			2	
5	1	Hattie A. George	8	15	15	15	13	13	8		5					
	2	" "	15	15	15	15	14	14	6		6				5	
6	2	Emma S. Trow	8	6	6	6	5	5	2							
7	2	Mary E. George	13	10	10	10	10	10	7	2	5				5	
8	1	Mrs. George Dodge	*9	25	19	19		23	16	4	16	2	2	5		2
	2	" "	10	24	21	21		23	17	4	23		5	4	23	
	3	" "	10	27	23	23		27	18	6	27		7	4	23	
9	1	Eliza A. Tucker	8	34	34	34	18	18	5							
	2	" "	15	31	31	31	17	15	7							

*, One week given by Mrs. Dodge; †, five weeks contributed by Mrs. Dodge and the wood given by E. R. Boyce.

No. of children between 5 and 15 not attending school—Male, 3.
" reported by selectmen—Male, 62; Female, 76. Total, 138.
Whole number of scholars not less than 5 years old who have attended school not less than two weeks—154.

Births Registered in the Town of Sunapee for the year ending Dec. 31, 1889.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any)	Male	Female	Living or Stillborn	No. of Child, 1st, 2d, &c.	Color	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Color of Parents.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
Feb. 14		M		Living	2	W	Joseph DeBay	Louie Legassey	W	Sunapee	Stone Cutter	New Brunswick	New Brunswick
" 23			F		3		Fred C. Keyes	Emma F. Smith			Tinsmith	Reading, Vt.	Cornish
Mar. 5	Mary E. McCloud		F		3		Eugene McCloud	Georgianna Lambert			Laborer	Canada	Canada
Aug. 13		M			4		Dorrence T. Hadley	Emma J. Hadley			Stone Mason	Enfield	Alstead
Sept. 26		M			1		Ernest R. Muzzey	Minnie E. Abbott			Hame maker	¶	¶
Oct. 12			F		1		John Y. Gardner	Clara F. Kempton			Farmer	¶	Lowell, Mass
" 29	Johnnie Carter	M			4		Alex Carter	Emma Dobien			Stone Cutter		
Dec. 14		M			2		Frank Colby	Sarah Colby			Landlord	¶	Hardwich, Vt

Marriages Registered in the Town of Sunapee for the Year ending Dec. 31, 1889.

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in Year	Color of each	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of Each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation.	1st, 2d or 3d Marriage
Jan. 26	Newport	Ernest R. Muzzey	¶	20	W	Hames Maker	¶	Reuben B.	Croydon	Blacksmith	1
		Minnie E. Abbott	¶	20			¶	Harriet M.	Henniker		1
June 13	Concord	Alvin A. Young	¶	43		Machinist	¶	Solon W.	¶	Carpenter	1
		Harriet E. Davis	Concord	37			Concord	Lizzie A. B.	Springfield		1
July 3	Newport	Malcom Swenson	¶	30		Granite Cutter	Sweden	John	¶	Clergyman	2
		Mary Osneau	¶	25				Sarah R. T.	Newport		1
Aug. 15	¶	Edwin E. Dustin	¶	22		*	Manchester	William S.			1
		Luella S. French	Springfield	22			Springfield	Maria E. W.	Switzerland		1
Sept. 5	Claremont	Frank Fortune	¶	25		*	Wilmot	Eliphalet C.	Francestown		1
		Mary L. Frazier	¶	18				Sarah M.	Croydon		1
Sept. 11	Newbury	Henry B. Tucker	¶	20		Manufacturer	¶	William A.	Lowell, Ms,	Farmer	1
		Hattie E. Shaw	Newbury	23			Newbury	Ellen J.	Royalton, Vt.		1
								John	Canada	*	1
								Amelia	Vermont		1
								John A.	¶		1
								Carrie A,	Newport		1
								David			1

* Farmer; ¶, Sunapee.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Sunapee for the Year ending Dec. 31, 1889.

Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the deceased.	Age. Y	M	D	Place of Birth.	Color.	Sing'l. Mar. or Widow.	Occupation.	Place of Birth. Father.	Mother.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
Jan 5	Harriet A. Russell	48	10	9	Charlestown, Ms.	W	M	‖	Sandwich	Warner	John D. Palmer	Abbie Clough
Feb 9	Sarah C. Sturoc	85	4	9	¶		M	‖	Newburyport, Me	Hopkinton	John Chase	Elizabeth Rogers
Mar 13	Frank M. Greeley	30	7	19	¶		M	*	Wilmot	Goshen	Geo. K.	Amanda F. Messer
22	Horace W. Palmer	30			Sutton		S	Laborer				
Apr 11	William Eastman	43		1	Newport		M	Hames maker	Newport	Hartland, Vt.	Thomas J.	Eveline Wood
June 25	Sam'l B. Thompson	61	5		¶		M	*	Goshen	¶	Aaron	Sischo
July 11	Sally Beck	78	1	5	Goshen		S	‖			Henry	Sally Virgil
Aug 24	Hyman Rowe	80	11	19	Bradford		W	*			Jonathan	Phoebe Knight
Sept 24	Enoch P. Trow	62	6		¶		M	*			William	Mehitable Perkins
Oct 9	Mary E. L. McCloud		7	4	¶				Canada	Canada	Eugene	GeorgiannaLarabert
25	Mehitable Brown	73	8		¶		W	‖	Weare	Weare	Isaac Eastman	Mehitable George
Nov 13	Jonathan S. Sleeper	70	2	10	Compton, Can.		W	Laborer	Sandown	Plymouth	Benjamin	Anna Harriman
18	Lucinda Young	80	9		" "		W	‖	"	"	Benjamin Sleeper	" "
Dec 14	Geo. A. Osborn	36	4	24	Springfield		M	Manufacturer	Springfield	Grantham	Robert	Susan B. Stewart

*, Farmer; ‖, House-keeper; ¶, Sunapee.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

NATHAN P. BAKER, Town Clerk.

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